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The Honourable Murray J. Elston
Minister of Health

Sir:

I have the honour to submit for your approval the Annual Report of the Funeral Services Review Board, for 1985.

Yours very truly,

James Lee
Chairman

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FUNERAL SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

MEMBERS - 1985

James Lee, Chairman	Toronto
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Earl Armstrong	Manotick
John Brooks	Toronto
Eleanor Muir	Brighton

The Funeral Services Review Board is established by the Funeral Services Act. It is an independent Review Board consisting of lay people who are not in the public service of the Province and who are not, and never have been, members of a health discipline or licensed or registered under the Funeral Services Act or any other Act governing a health practice.

The Review Board has two separate and distinct functions. The first is to review decisions of the Complaints Committee of the Board of Funeral Services when either the complainant or the member complained against is not satisfied with the decision. The Board's second function is to hear or review proposed decisions of the Licensing Committee of the Board of Funeral Services in cases where the Committee refuses to grant registration to an applicant, or proposes to attach terms, conditions or limitations to a registration.

The Review Board believes it has a duty to ensure that the public interest has been served and protected.

The Review Board conducted two complaint reviews during 1985. It upheld the decision of the Complaints

Committee of the Board of Funeral Services in both of those reviews.

The Review Board was not called on to review or hear any licensing matters during 1985.